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The Weather

Fair tonight and Tuesday; slightly warmer in east portion tonight.

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THERMOMETER LOWEST IN SIX YEARS SUNDAY

Mercury Was 11 Below Zero Yesterday Morning—Makes Better Business for Coal Men and Plumbers Depletes Churches

NEEDY OF CITY SUFFER FROM COLD AND HUNGER

King Winter with his legion of chilling blasts and polar freezes descended on Middlesboro en masse Saturday night, sending the mercury to the lowest point it has reached in six years

The lowest temperature recorded was 11 degrees below zero Sunday morning, according to I H Perkins, weather observer This was the coldest weather since December 9, 1917, when the official thermometer here registered 19 below zero Other cold days, January 12 1918 when temperatures of 4 and 2 below respectively, were attained On the fourth day of the same month the temperature was 1 below

Numbers of cases of suffering in the city's needy were reported to the Red Cross and Salvation Army headquarters, and charity workers were kept busy Saturday and Sunday trying to relieve the cold by extra loads of coal warmer clothing, and in some cases gifts of food Some of the suffering was alleviated in this way but at best it is bad times for those who live in houses whose thin walls and cracks cannot keep out the persistent cold, even though there is more coal to throw in their stoves

Stories of frozen and bursted water pipes during the present cold wave are current today Plumbers were all busy all day yesterday in the work of repairing damages

Churches and Sunday schools were not very popular yesterday morning, judging from the scant attendance reported from nearly all of them The most enjoyable pastime during the day was hugging the fire and replenishing it frequently with fresh fuel

Local coal companies say the weather has already stimulated coal buying In Michigan where large quantities of locally mined coal are sold the weather has been the coldest for several years, causing the large buyers there to rush in their order

Normal Temperature on Way

Associated Press

CHICAGO, Jan 7 The middle west and northwest welcomed a return to normal temperatures to the white sub zero blasts which wrought havoc for 48 hours, spent themselves in the east and south It is feared, however, that relief is only temporary for colder weather has again appeared in western Canada

MINISTERS DISCUSS CIVIC PROBLEMS AT MEETING

The local Ministerial Association held its regular meeting this morning the Rev A B Reeves presiding Interesting discussions of the church work and civic problems were discussed Capt Stenhour of the Salvation Army was present and reported an unusual number of requests for help because of the severe weather He assured the ministers that all worthy cases coming to his notice have been properly cared for The Rev V V Ford of Barbourville was present and presenting the work of the Swithmore Association program solicited the support of the ministerial association for the work

CONDITION OF TOM MANNING, SHOT FRIDAY NIGHT, IMPROVES

The condition of Tom Manning shot by Floyd Gilbert Friday night is improving, according to hospital physicians The patient was hit by a load of bird shot the greater number of which entered his arm Doctors say that he will soon recover unless complications set up

STATE OFFICERS ELECT TAKE OFFICES TODAY

Associated Press

FRANKFORT Jan 7—Frank A Daugherty, attorney general and his assistants, Mrs Emma Cromwell, secretary of state W H Shanks, state auditor Clell Coleman, commissioner of agriculture, Andy B Dishman state treasurer, took office today

COOLIDGE NOT HURT BY WORK AS PRESIDENT

Chief Executive Shows No Signs of a Breakdown After Five Months of Service in White House

HAS GAINED IN SELF CONFIDENCE AND ASSURANCE

By Hally B Hunt

WASHINGTON Jan 7—Five months in the White House work and a noticeable change in Calvin Coolidge

The Coolidge of Jan 7, 1924 is far different from the Coolidge of Aug 3 1923 Both physically and temperamentally he is in better shape to handle his job today than he was when between bedtime and breakfast he was called upon to assume the office of chief executive

Recent advices out of Washington that the president is beginning to look tired that the strain of office is rapidly telling upon him are not borne out by personal observation and study of the man at his wide knowledge of his actual present condition

Instead of being worn down, the president has actually put on a few pounds in the last couple months His chin is fuller The lines between nostrils and the corners of his mouth are less deeply graven A smoothing out of the wrinkles at the corners of his eyes indicates a relaxation of the tension under which he took up his duties as president His bearing is more erect and confident

Psychological Change Apparent

The real change in Coolidge, however, is not one that can be pictured by physical description It is revealed rather by his manner, his speech, his more certain approach to the matters under discussion

The Coolidge of August 1923, felt himself to be on an uncertain footing

The Coolidge of January, 1924 has found firm ground and is sure of himself

The tension of his first two months in the White House undoubtedly told on the president He had been jumped overnight into a position of supreme trust and authority Problems of great importance, with which he had had little contact faced him for decision He knew that the public generally even a large part of his own party regarded him as a political accident If first it was to regard him otherwise it would be because he had measured up to the opportunity the accident had full bare

More wearing than the actual labor of those first few months was the mental tension during this period of adjustment There is his familiarity with the problems ahead increased, as approval of party leaders followed his decisions as the country generally began to feel that at least the nation was facing no immediate disaster because of his election to the presidency came a gradual easing of the strain under which he labored The tenseness about his mouth relaxed The drawn pucker about his brows loosened His eyes lost their look of worry

Less Taciturn Now

Today there is a sense of sureness about the president that was wholly lacking in the first months of his incumbency He has found himself in his job and his whole bearing reflects it He is less taciturn Smiles are no longer strained He even cracks a definite, New England joke occasionally

As a matter of fact, the confining labors of the presidency are much less wearing on a man of Coolidge's training and habits than they were on a man like President Harding Harding was not a student He had never been trained to confining routine Desk work was to him the most monotonous and wearying drudgery

As student, lawyer, mayor, governor and presiding officer of the senate, Coolidge came to the presidency thoroughly acclimated for the confining routine of the office In fact he finds it far less irksome, far less depressing and wearing on his vitality than the deadly monotony of presiding over senatorial sessions He craves and thrives on not physical so much as mental action, and he's getting that as president, in much larger doses than he ever did as presiding officer of the Senate Physically, a brisk walk four or five mornings a week, some deep breathing exercises when the day's work is over and an occasional cruise down the Potomac in the Mayflower for additional ozone keeps

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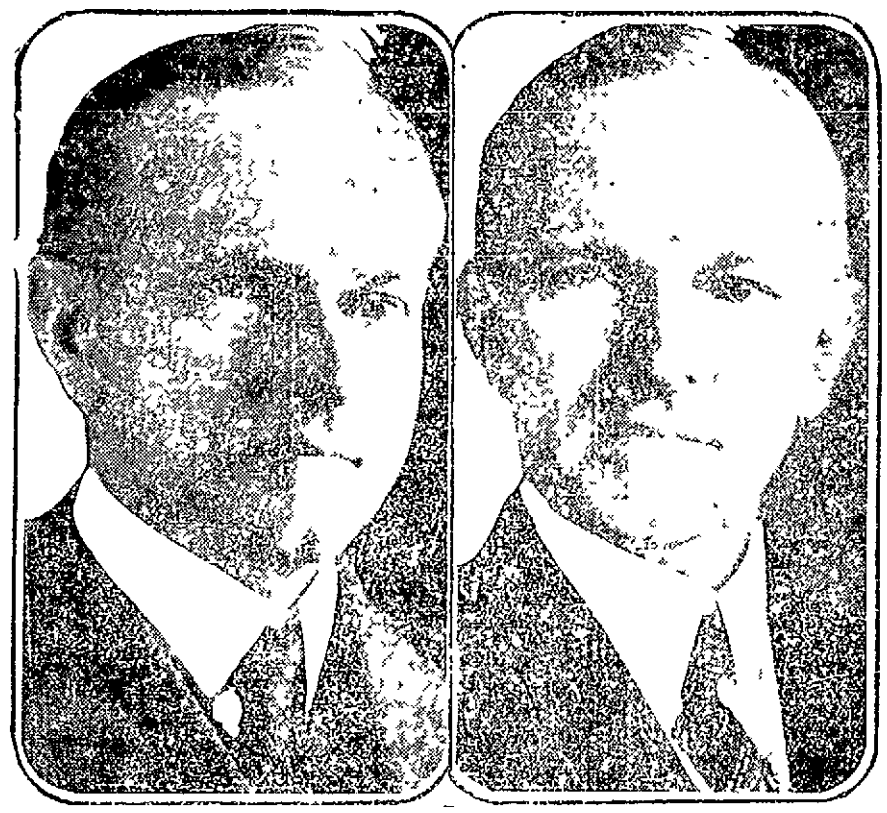
COMPARE THESE TWO PICTURES



After five months in the White House President Coolidge has suffered no apparent breakdown, as the two contrast pictures above attest Left shows him as he looked upon taking office Right As he is today—a physically stronger and better man

THINK AXE MURDER MYSTERY IS ENDED

Five Negroes Under Arrest Confess Part in Number of Attacks Past Three Years

Associated Press

BIRMINGHAM Jan 7 Five negroes are under arrest here today and authorities believe Birmingham's axe murder will be ended The negroes confessed to participation in many of 11 attacks resulting in 24 deaths the last three years With rites suspected a syndicate represented by persons under arrest members of which drew lots to choose the executioner of the polished murder

FORBES ACCUSED OF HUGE FRAUDS

New York Investigator Says Veterans Bureau Director Is Involved in Conspiracy

Associated Press

WASHINGTON Jan 7 Charges that Charles F Forbes as director of the Veterans Bureau was the leading factor in the establishment of a system by which defraud the government were made by John T Odlum, New York general counsel in his report to the Senate Veterans committee today Odlum said that in developing this inquiry it had been conclusively established that fraud and corruption existed in the bureau He further declared other instances of corrupt transactions had been revealed by Forbes and others should be furnished by the Department of Justice investigation following leads developed by this investigation One conspiracy which Odlum charged Forbes with being a party to was in awarding hospital construction contracts to favored contractors

EARL COMBS KENTUCKIAN SOLD TO NEW YORK YANKS

Associated Press

LOUISVILLE, Jan 7 Earl Combs of Louisville American association outfielder, was sold today to the New York Yankees for an unnamed cash consideration and two ball players whose names will be given out later Combs is from Richmond Ky

S S Superintendent Tenth Time

H H Chandler was elected superintendent of the Christian church sunday school yesterday morning for the tenth consecutive time C I Coker was elected assistant superintendent and F I Lee as secretary treasurer

Louisville Live Stock

Associated Press

Cattle, 900, strong $2 to $8.50 hogs 1500, quarter higher, $5 to $7.55 sheep 50, steady $3 and $5 lambs $11

LODGE EXPLAINS U. S. STAND ON SOVIET RUSSIA

Supports Hughes Contention That Communist Official Aid in the Spread of Revolutionary Propaganda Here

WILL NOT GIVE CHANCE COMB UNDER DIPLOMATIC SHIELD

Associated Press

WASHINGTON Jan 7 The administrations policy of nonrecognition of the present Soviet government of Russia was upheld enthusiastically in the entire senate today when Senator Lodge republican leader offered a resolution of the foreign relations committee He quoted extensively to show the interlocking of the Soviet government and Communist International and also for the right evidence to support Secretary Hughes contention that Soviet officials are a party through the Communist International to revolutionary propaganda in the United States and that the overthrow of the American government is the ultimate object of the Soviet government In my judgment said Lodge it is now time to give the Soviet government of Russia an official recognition and invite their officials to present case to come among us under diplomatic shield and seek a free hand of our own labor organizations and Americans freed to and kindle the flame of riot and disorder through out our country

ALL DOGS IN BELL COUNTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION

Old Fido can appear on the list of taxable property this year It is announced deputy clerk has supplies of dog license tags and I know me request to collect them

All dogs in the county are subject to a tax the rate being $1 for the males and $2.25 for the female The tax became due and payable on the first day of the year and owners failing to pay are subject to a fine

FORTY DEATHS FROM EXTREME WEATHER

Seventeen Die of Cold in Chicago—Fire Losses Were Near Three Million

Associated Press

CHICAGO, Jan 7—Forty deaths from the intense cold and fires growing out of the extremely cold weather, were reported in news dispatches today Seventeen deaths in Chicago 12 through the south and 11 in Pennsylvania and Illinois points Fire losses were estimated at three million

BURR OVERTON IS GIVEN UP AS DEAD

Coroner Says Cold Weather May Prevent Finding Body of Lost Man for Months

Associated Press

LOUISVILLE Jan 7 With no trace found of Burr M Overton, Louisville chemist believed to have perished in Pine Grass creek Thursday night when his automobile went into the stream Coroner Cotter today said that the cold weather might prevent the body coming up for months Messages of condolence continued today to pour into the residence of the stricken family

COMPLAIN OF SALE OF JAMAICA GINGER

Chief Bell Says Much Sold—Grist in Charged With Sale Which Made Man Drunk

Sale of Jamaica ginger commonly known as Jake and extract of orange peels abbreviated O P by local druggists is causing more trouble than ever on account liquor, according to Chief H J Bell

While there are some druggists that would not sell anything in the nature of an ancient there are others who sell the extracts regularly he says Offenders of this class are harder to reach than those who sell whiskey because the law regarding the sale of extracts which may be used for local purposes is not very clearly defined

William Gastineau druggist, is charged with selling Jake to John Allen which made the latter drunk He will be tried in police court tomorrow morning

STONY FORK RESIDENCE BURNS SATURDAY NIGHT

The residence of Clifford Pratt at Stony Fork was destroyed by fire at 10 o'clock Saturday night The fire is said originated from a defective flue

The fire department was called but was able to save only a small portion of the burning building Nearly all of the household goods were saved The house was the property of Robert Lyons

FIELDS SCOTT'S REPORT SON MAY SUCCEED JAMES

Associated Press

FRANKFORT Jan 7 Governor Fields today characterized as pure speculation the report that his son Forrest would succeed Henry James as state inspector and examiner He intimated the appointment might be made later in the day

WINNING PLAN FOR BOK PRIZE IS ANNOUNCED

Name of Author Withheld Till Vote of Citizens Giving Opinions on Proposal Has Been Obtained

EDWARD BOK OUTLINES PRIZE WINNING PLAN

Announcement of the plan which has been selected as the prize winner by the American Peace Award for the Edward Bok $100,000 award was made in Pax without, however the name of the man or woman who originated it With the announcement of the plan is a novel proposal for American citizens to vote their approval or disapproval of the plan Expression of the plan will be found on page four of this issue There were 22,165 plans submitted

A letter from Edward Bok explaining the award follows

Winning plan, No 1164, selected by the jury of the American Peace Award created by Edward Bok and offering $100,000 for the best practicable plan by which the United States may cooperate with other nations, looking toward the prevention of war

With deep satisfaction I present for the consideration and vote of the American people the plan selected by the jury as entitled to the American Award under the conditions

The Award brought forth 22,165 plans Since many of them were the complete work of organizations and societies etc a single plan often represented the views of hundreds or thousands of individuals There were also received several hundred thousand of letters which, while they did not submit plans suggested in almost each instance a solution of the peace problem

The jury had therefore before it an index of the true feeling and judgment of hundreds of thousands of American citizens The plans come from every group in American life Some were obviously from life long students of history and international law Some were from persons who have studied little but who have themselves seen and felt the horror of war—or who are even now living out its tragedy

However, unlike they almost all express or imply the same conviction That this is the time for the nations of the earth to admit frankly that war is a crime and withdraw the legal and moral sanction too long permitted to it as a method of settling international disputes Thousands of plans show a deep aspiration to have the United States take the lead in a common agreement to brand war in every track an outlaw

The plans show a realization that no adequate defense against this situation has thus far been devised and that no international law has been developed to control it They point out that security of life and property is dependent upon the abolition of war and the cessation of the manufacture of munitions of war

Some of the plans labor with the problem of changing the hearts of men and disposing them toward peace and good will some labor to find a practicable means of dealing with the economic causes of war some labor with adjusting racial animosities with producing a finer conception of nationalism, etc etc

Through the plans as a whole run these dominant currents

That, if war is honestly to be prevented there must be a right attitude on the part of the nations in their attitude toward it and that by some progressive agreement the manufacture and purchase of munitions of war must be limited or stopped

That while no political mechanism alone will insure cooperation among the nations, there must be some machinery of cooperation if the will to cooperate is made effective that mutual counsel among the nations is the real hope for bringing about the disavowal of war in the open avowal of its real causes and open discussion of them

Finally that there must be some way of defining, recording, interpreting and developing the law of nations

The jury of Award unanimously selected the plan given below as the one which most closely reflected several of these currents

The Honorable Elihu Root, chairman of the jury of Award, then prepared the following forward looking statement indicating that the mutual

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COMMISSIONERS AND MAYOR IN FIRST MEETING

Took Oath of Office at Last Council Meeting Saturday Night—New Officers Divide City Duties

CITY BOOKS TO BE AUDITED VERY SOON

Commissioners Charles F Cooke and J F Evans had their first official meeting with Mayor I H Keeney at the city hall at 10 o'clock this morning

Commissioner Evans was made mayor pro tem of the meeting Upon motion of Commissioner Cooke Mr Evans was made commissioner of public works and public property and Mr Cooke will be made commissioner of public finance and public safety Each officer it was explained, will assist the other in his work where necessary but will be responsible only for the work falling in his departmental division

Mr Cooke made a motion that the books of the city be audited at once by state It is required that they be audited annually, anyway, he explained and is proper at this time, while the new government is taking, to have the work done Some outside firm or local certified public accountant, not connected in any way with the city will do the work Communications with knoxville and Louisville for obtaining their rates have already been made

Upon motion the office of city attorney was declined as that office is not required under the commission form of government it is explained and the attorney can be employed for any legal work that may arise

It was decided at the meeting this morning to have meetings at 10 o'clock each Monday morning

The matter of selecting new officers was deferred until such a time as the new commissioners have acquainted themselves with the work and with local conditions

Each of the commissioners and the mayor will execute a bond for $10,000 The charges of the bonding company for these were more than was expected and Mr Cooke will investigate the matter before the bonds are made

A revision of the privilege license schedule suggested by the mayor and will be taken up by the new officers at an early date It is essentially important but some action be taken to have the sale of Jamaica ginger for beverage purposes it was pointed out, and it was their opinion that this matter can best be handled by raising the license fee as was done at Pineville

Chief H J Bell suggested that Frank Ellerce, night patrolman who is now paid chiefly by the local merchants, be paid entirely by the city as other officers are The petitions it was said, had complained about the extra payment Mr Crabtree now receives $90 per month from the city, action on the matter was deferred

Commissioner Cooke expressed satisfaction at having a press representative present at the meetings resulting in the present that the meetings might be made public in detail Mayor Keeney stated that the Daily News always had a reporter present and that the newspaper had always given the city meetings proper publicity

The first meeting of the retiring city council was held Saturday night Bills for the month were read and approved and reports were made by the various departments A number of excellent speeches were made by the retiring officers

Commissioners Cooke and Evans took the oath of office before Mayor Keeney at the Saturday night meeting

CIVIL SESSION CIRCUIT COURT ON IN PINEVILLE

Circuit court convened at Pineville for a three weeks civil session this morning Juries were organized today though no cases were tried The court will meet here for a weeks civil term after the work at Pineville is finished

Hardware Company Closed

The Middlesboro Hardware company which has been closed for the past few days for inventory, opened Saturday afternoon A formal inventory announcement will be made soon

Mr and Mrs J L Givens and daughter Evelyn returned last night from a ten days' trip in Florida. Miss Evelyn reported that she waded in the warm Florida waters all day Friday.

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A THOUGHT

He that dwelleth in the secret place of the most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty.—Ps. 91:1.

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He that taketh his own cares upon himself heads him off in vain with unnecessary burden. I will cast all my cares on God, he doth hidden me. He cannot burden me.—Ellen Hall.

AWARD OF $100,000 PEACE PRIZE

Throughout the United States the newspapers are now discussing the plan selected by the jury of the American Peace Award as the best practicable plan by which the United States may co-operate with other nations to avoid the precaution of war. The man who outlined this plan will receive $100,000 which Edward W. Bok offered for such a plan if it is found to be practicable.

This plan, then is being put before the American people with the request that each one express his opinion of it by voting in the blank presented on page 9 and by sending this vote to the American Peace Award headquarters. The name of the author is withheld so that the voters may consider the plan on its merits alone and not be influenced by the author's name. It is sincerely hoped that a large number of Middlesboro men and women study this plan as presented carefully, and express their opinion to the Peace Award headquarters, either favoring the plan if they see fit or rejecting it, likewise if they see fit. The mere fact of voting can show a sincere interest in the cause of world peace.

A summary of the plan, given below shows that it proposes:

1. That the United States shall immediately enter the Permanent Court of International Justice, under the conditions stated by Secretary Hughes and President Harding in February, 1923:

2. That without becoming a member of the League of Nations as at present constituted, the United States shall offer to extend its present cooperation with the League and participate in the work of the League as a body of mutual counsel under conditions which

1. Substitute moral force and public opinion for the military and economic force originally implied in Articles X and XVI.

2. Safeguard the Monroe Doctrine.

Accept the fact that the United States will assume no obligations under the Treaty of Versailles except by Act of Congress.

4. Propose that meetings of the League should be opened to all nations.

5. Provide for the continuing development of international law.

UP TO CONGRESS

Another argument particularly commended not to speak of the historic and scenic value of the preservation, for those now living, as well as for posterity, of the Smokies in all their grandeur, is that of the conservation of these wonderful mountain forests through the protection that would be afforded should the government take over these mountains for a national park.

Even with government rangers looking after them and doing all possible to protect them, fires in national forests last year swept 37,211 acres, destroying timber estimated at nearly a half million dollars in value, while fires in privately owned forests destroyed many times that amount of timber. The fact that these fires and these losses are chargeable to the carelessness of men, in some cases criminal carelessness, cannot make good the losses. Another factor to be considered in connection with the proposal to establish a national park in the Smokies is the fact that the nation's timber resources are being reduced on a much larger scale than they are being replenished.

The report of the Forest Service for the year ended June 30, 1923, shows that this drain amounted to 27,000,000,000 cubic feet with reproduction estimated at only 19,000,000,000 feet. Thus the loss is given effect to emphasize the fact that should be considered with reference to the proposal to establish the Smokies national park. For the maintenance of the forests primarily for the protection of the watersheds of navigable streams is the chief purpose of the national forests, which are designed to keep an even flow of water in the streams.

Do not fail to vote. Sign your name, address and occupation and write over the ballot "Approved." Any vote for the Peace Award that is not signed in this manner will be rejected.

Don't put off voting until tomorrow. Do it today. Your vote may be the deciding one.

Your Health

NERVOUS SIGNS

THE law of nervous energy is governed by the fact that the nerves of special sense are more highly developed than those of general sensation. That is, the nerves of sight, hearing, taste, smell and touch are more highly developed than the nerves of pain, heat, cold, pressure, etc.

If the latter are injured or irritated to the point of pain, the nerves of special sense are unable to keep up their normal function.

Disturbance of one of the nerves of special sense is usually accompanied by a disturbance of the nerves of general sensation. For instance, a severe headache is usually accompanied by nausea, vomiting, dizziness, etc.

Pain is a nerve signal that something is wrong. Pain is a danger signal. Pain is a warning that something is wrong. Pain is a signal that something is wrong. Pain is a signal that something is wrong.

Pain is a signal that something is wrong. Pain is a signal

How Novelist Got His Name

Kipling in his jungle books tells how various animals got their names. This knowledge is much more interesting when it concerns human beings and especially famous authors.

Probably the two most interesting pen names in American literature are "Mark Twain" (Samuel L. Clemens) and "O. Henry" (Sidney Porter).

In Canada lives a man known to million of readers as "Ralph Connor," but it is doubtful if many of his admirers know his real name or how his pen name was chosen.

The Reverend Charles Gordon wrote for an editor friend a Christmas story of the lumbermen of the Selkirk Mountains. So vigorous was the action and so vivid the language that the editor suggested that he use a pen name and asked him to choose one.

Gordon telegraphed "Cannor," made of the first letters of Canada and Northwest. The editor had no use for the mythical name "Cannor" and changing it to "Connor" added the prefix "Ralph." In this haphazard way was created "Ralph Connor," one of the most famous pen names in the world today. Since that first Christmas story of the Selkirk Mountains novel has followed novel, all having their locale amid the rugged beauty of the Canadian Northwest.

Perhaps for sheer beauty of setting "The Gaspards of Pine Croft," the latest book of the famous minister, eclipses all the rest. The story is a thrilling romance of the beautiful Windermere Valley situated on a loop of the Columbia River, telling of the life and character building of Paul Gaspard, who inherits from his mother a vital and abiding sense of God, from his father an artistic temperament, and of the struggle between the two warring elements in his nature. It tells of his acceptance of the responsibility which ties him body and soul and of life with the Chippewa Indians, who come and go in the mysterious depths of the forest.

Rev. Charles Gordon, known to thousands of admiring readers as "Ralph Connor."

Perfumes as Old as History

When and where perfumes first came into existence there is no clear record. Arabia, Egypt, India and Persia used precious ointments, dry and resinous gums or scented oils 2000 year B. C., while the toilet of no Greek or Roman was complete without his daily perfumed rub, no temple rite without its smoking, swinging censer.

In the enlightened days of good Queen Bess perfumes were camouflage for uncleanliness and as time went on their use spread the love for perfumes becoming so strong in England that even a Puritan maid smuggled some over in her coif, landing it sans duty on Plymouth Rock—a feat impossible today.

Centuries passed before much progress was made in the perfumers art. Not till Catherine de Medici wed the Duke of Orleans and brought from Italy a Florentine perfumer named Rene, who started a shop in Paris, was the tremendous development of the trade established. The vogue for foreign perfumes still holds sway over the imagination of many women who are influenced more by the magic word "imported," the always attractive label and bottle, than by the actual scent.

It remained for the pioneer American perfumers Colgate and Co. to prove this by actual experiments. Believing that most women selected their perfumes by the eye rather than by the sense of smell they made this test. Three of the most popular imported perfumes were purchased and three of their own manufacture poured into six plain bottles each numbered. A duplicate list was locked in a safe so that not even the experimenters knew one perfume from another. Then little strips of blotting paper were numbered and scented from each bottle.

Over a hundred women representing society, the stage, colleges, business and professions were asked first to name their favorite perfume and, then to choose from the scented slips the one which pleased them most. Before the test was made nearly every woman frankly confessed her preference for foreign perfumes but with only a sense of smell to guide them the majority selected the American perfumes as their favorites, proving that whether of foreign or domestic make, fragrance alone should be a woman's guide when selecting her own individual scent. Although the same essential oils, gums and spices are used as in the imported perfumes the American manufacturer won out over his foreign competitors. When one realizes the gracious part perfumes play in life their beneficent effect on the nerve centers it is not strange that they have come to be considered necessities rather than luxuries.

Ideal of Idol

Howard Gray, "Princeton's most popular man," apparently meant what he said when he bespoke his opposition to cigarette-smoking girls. His engagement to De'Weenta Conrad (above) Omaha belle, has just been announced, and she has never smoked. Gray, who was picked for all-American end while playing with Princeton, and held many student and scholastic honors there, is now studying medicine.

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SOCIETY

The item of news and society in your neighborhood are interesting to other readers of our paper. Why not phone them in? Call 48.

TRAILS

When I have passed the last, far hill-line turning
Of life's long trail against the sunset burning,
If some can say: "I saw his camp-fire's flame
Gleam through the dark as up the trail I came,
Footweary, and discouraged—and found rest.
He never thought to ask me for my name,
But filled the coffee-pot and swiftly spread
Fresh gathered balsam branches for my bed.
We talked until the low moon notched the West,
He said not much. But somehow when he spoke
Within my weary heart new courage woke.
Forgotten was the aching muscle strain
Of plodding feet and lagging paddle-stroke,
The sullen Future turned a comrade-face,
The grim world seemed a kindly camping place
The trail-end grew a gladder thing to gain!
Then can I face the coming night with laughter,
Till dawn light gilds the trails of the Hereafter.

—Martha Haskell Clark.

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Business Woman's Circle to Meet

The Business Woman's Circle of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at the home of Mrs. George Veal at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow night. All members are urged to be present.

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Dinner Last Night at Continental

The following from Middlesboro enjoyed a dinner party at the Continental hotel in Pineville last night: Miss Margaret Jameson, Miss Mabelle Nelson, Miss Mildred Wright, Buck Ralston, M. A. Douglas, Charles F. Ragsdale and Jimmy Ginsburg.

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Announces Engagement of Miss Margaret Southern

Mr. W. M. Southern announces the engagement of his daughter, Miss Margaret, to William Nelson Perkins, of Allais, Ky. The wedding will take place January 26.

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Music Club Gives Open Program Tomorrow Night

The Middlesboro Music Study Club will hold its first open meeting in the library at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening to which the public is invited. An interesting musical program will be given at this time and colored pictures of the life of Christ by Hoffman will be shown with steroptican slides. Piano, violin and vocal solos will make up the musical program.

PRUNE RECIPES

DOES your family refuse to eat plain everyday stewed prunes?

Then try these recipes for luncheon or dinner and "slip one" over on them. The very fact that the time is out of the ordinary for serving prunes will aid the housekeeper. While John may say sternly, "You know I don't eat stewed prunes" at breakfast time I'll warrant he'll eat this prune cocktail at dinner time without a murmur.

In the winter when succulent vegetables are high and in some localities hard to get, prunes are an important part of the diet. They should be used often in some form or other.

Prune Cocktail

Choose fine large prunes. Allow three prunes for each person to be served. Wash well through several waters and let stand in cold water to cover over night. Bring slowly to waters and let stand in cold water reduce heat and simmer until the water is absorbed and the prunes are tender but not mushy or broken. Let stand in the liquid until cool. When cool cut in halves and remove stone. Cut each half in two and put in cocktail glasses. Add one teaspoon lemon juice and two tablespoons orange juice to each glass and chill. Serve very cold.

Ring of Prunes

One pound prunes, ½ cup sugar, 1 teaspoons granulated gelatin, whipped cream, candied cherries and citron.

Wash prunes well and let stand over night in cold water to cover. In the morning stew slowly in this water until tender but not broken. Drain and measure juice. There should be two cups. Soften gelatin in ¼ cup cold water and add to boiling prune juice and sugar. Stir until dissolved. When cool dip each prune, with stone removed into the liquid and place around a ring mold in rows. When firm to the touch add the jelly. Let stand in a cool place until set and cold. Turn out on a large plate and fill the center with whipped cream sweetened and flavored with vanilla, garnish with the cherries and thin narrow strips of citron and serve. This will serve eight persons.

Salad Prunes

Scrub prunes and wash through several waters. Cover with boiling water, cover bowl tightly and let stand until cold. Drain and remove stones. Mix one Neufchatel cheese with two tablespoons finely chopped nuts and enough cream or olive oil to make moist. Fill prunes with mixture and serve with head lettuce salad with French dressing. This amount of cheese and nuts will fill 16 large prunes and serve four persons.

Did you ever wash prunes well, remove the stones and fill the cavities with peanut butter? If you like peanut butter you will like these prunes better than candy and find them excellent sweetmeat for the kiddies.

Prune Pudding

One-half pound prunes, 2 cups cold water, ½ cup sugar, juice 1 lemon, 4 tablespoons cornstarch, 1½ cups boiling water, 1 inch stick cinnamon.

Wash prunes through several waters. Put in stew pan, add cold water and let stand one hour. Boil until soft in this water. When cool enough to handle remove stones. Add prune juice boiling water, sugar and cinnamon and simmer 15 minutes. Mix cornstarch with enough cold water to pour easily and stir into prune mixture. Cook five minutes. Remove stick of cinnamon, add lemon juice and pour into a mold. Let stand on ice or in a cold place for two hours. Unmold and serve with plain or whipped cream.

LAFOLLETTE THEATRE TO BE OPENED SOON

LA FOLLETTE, Tenn., Jan. 7.—Within the next two or three weeks La Follette's new theatre will be open a two-story steel and brick structure, built by Harrison Parrott. It is modern in every respect, particular emphasis being laid on ventilation, light, heat and acoustics.

The Hendren Theatre company of which Earl Hendren is president, has leased the building for a period of years and is equipping it in modern style. One of the most modern of orchestral instruments, is in transit from Berkley, Calif.

Mr. Hendren has been in moving picture business at La Follette for some time, operating the Palace theatre. He also operates a house at Peabody, Tenn.

The stage will be equipped also for road shows of the better type.

First Colored Baby Reported

Dr. J. R. Tinsley reports the birth of a colored baby boy, Charles Arnold, at 5 o'clock Sunday morning at the parents' home on North Fifteenth street. This is the first negro baby reported this year and if it is the first one born he will be the recipient of several prizes.

NEW YORK NEWS LETTER

by Carol Colburne

New York—The most important educational event of the week is the election of Dr. John H. Finley, famous educator and journalist, as president of the National Child Welfare Association of 70 Fifth Ave., New York. The election of Dr. Finley is another proof of the progressive spirit which has animated the National Child Welfare Association during its ten years existence. Its work is fundamentally educational. Its posters cover every phase of the child's bodily, mental and spiritual development from before birth to full manhood.

Speaking of one these posters, one mother said, "I nagged at my boy for weeks and months until, in despair, I stopped talking and just hung up that poster in the bathroom. From that day, I never again had to remind him to brush his teeth." Truly, posters speak louder than words!

The Association insists that health is not an end in itself, but only a means to greater happiness and usefulness,—that the true aim of education is character-building. Therefore a great part of the more than 500 posters issued by the organization teach such virtues as thrift, kindness to animals, good habits in reading, neatness, honesty, courage, industry, and the other fundamentals of manly and womanly character. Parents all over the country,—and in foreign lands also,—testify to the value of the Association's picture-lessons as "First Aid to Parents" in presenting ideals of right living to their boys and girls.

Entirely new are luncheon sets of mulberry colored glass with coin gold edges and monograms. Italian linen table runners and doilies in the same rich hue are used with the glass, although those of deep ecru and even white are often employed.

Flexible mohairs in brilliant block prints, stripes, or in plain colors are used for furniture covering and window draperies. The patterned fabric is gay with conventionalized flowers and birds, while the plain comes in all shades.

No wonder life grows complex, when the supplying of humanity with just one article of clothing becomes such an amazing and elaborate business. Stockings, for instance! They used to be just stockings; and two pairs, one finer than the other; saw a person well through a season, provided for all occasions. Whether it was short skirts, the French influence, or that modern deus ex machina, the advertising man, which brought hosiery into a primary place in the world of costuming, I am not sure. But today, it can hardly be termed anything as incidental as an accessory. Whole outfits are determined by it, and instead of wearing one pair now with several dresses, we change a costume by having several pairs to wear with each. One company alone in this country could supply a woman with a different kind of hose every day for years without ever repeating. In Onyx hose, for example, a woman can wear a different kind every day for four years, four months and twenty days; and it isn't only women who go in for variety. A man could demand equal novelty and it would take one year, nine months, and 14 days for him to reach the point of duplication.

New York shipping circles were thrilled by the recent arrival of the "Duilio" of the Navigazione Generale Italiana. The "Duilio" is considered by steamship men the most beautiful ship in the world. It is a floating museum of art in the form of antique furniture and beautiful woods, paintings and tapestries.

During this, its first trip to the United States, the leading Italian motion picture company produced on board many scenes of a new comedy by Giovacchino Forzano, famous scenario writer. Other scenes were taken in New York, and the final scenes were filmed during the return voyage to Italy. In the company were Signora Jacobini, called the Mary Pickford of Italy, Eleuterio Rudolfi, Signor Bitancio and "Maciste," famous as the gigantic slave in "Cabiria." The "Duilio" will run regularly in the passenger service between the United States and Italy.

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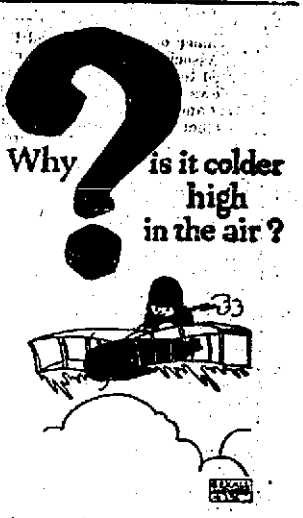

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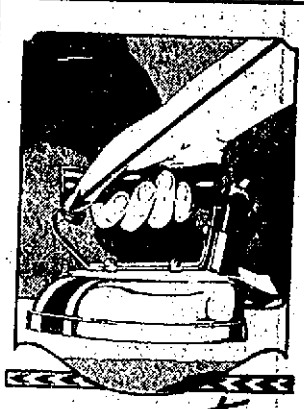

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The American Peace Award brought forth 22,165 plans and many thousands of letters. Since many of the plans were the composite work of organizations, universities, etc., a single plan often represented the views of hundreds or thousands of individuals. The content of these plans is therefore an index of the true feeling and judgment of hundreds of thousands of American citizens.

These plans come from every group in American life. Some are obviously from lifelong students of history and international law. Some are from persons who have studied little, but who have themselves seen and felt the horror of war—or who are even now living out its tragedy.

But among them all are these dominant currents: that, if war is honestly to be prevented, there must be a face about on the part of the nations in their attitude toward it; that by some progressive agreement the manufacture and purchase of the munitions of war must be limited or stopped; that while no political mechanism alone will insure cooperation among the nations, there must be some machinery of cooperation if the will to cooperate is to be made effective; that mutual counsel among the nations is the real hope for bringing about the disavowal of war by the open avowal of its real causes and open discussion of them; and finally that there must be some means of defining, recording, interpreting and developing the law of nations.

Statement of Jury of Award

The Jury of Award realizes that there is no one approach to world peace, and that it is necessary to recognize not merely political but also psychological and economic factors. The only possible pathway to international agreement with reference to these complicated and difficult factors is through mutual counsel and cooperation which the plan selected contemplates. It is therefore the unanimous opinion of the Jury that of the 22,165 plans submitted, Plan Number 1469 is "the best practicable plan by which the United States may co-operate with other nations to achieve and preserve the peace of the world."

It is the unanimous hope of the Jury that the first fruit of the mutual counsel and cooperation among the nations which will result from the adoption of the plan selected will be a general prohibition of the manufacture and sale of all materials of war.

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The Question to Be Voted Upon

The substantial provisions which constitute the plan selected by the Jury of Award, and upon which the vote of the American people is asked, are hereby submitted by the Policy Committee as follows:

I. ENTER THE PERMANENT COURT

That the United States adhere to the Permanent Court of International Justice for the reasons and under the conditions stated by Secretary Hughes and President Harding in February, 1923.

II. COOPERATE WITH THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS, WITHOUT FULL MEMBERSHIP AT PRESENT

That without becoming a member of the League of Nations as at present constituted, the United States Government should extend its present cooperation with the League and propose participation in the work of its Assembly and Council under the following conditions and reservations:

Safeguarding of Monroe Doctrine

1. The United States accepts the League of Nations as an instrument of mutual counsel, but it will assume no obligation to interfere with political questions of policy or internal administration of any foreign state.

   In uniting its efforts with those of other States for the preservation of peace and the promotion of the common welfare, the United States insists upon the safeguarding of the Monroe Doctrine and does not abandon its traditional attitude concerning American independence of the Old World and does not consent to submit its long established policy concerning questions regarded by it as purely American to the recommendation or decision of other Powers.

No Military or Economic Force

2. That the only kind of compulsion which nations can freely engage to apply to each other in the name of Peace is that which arises from conference, from moral judgment, from full publicity, and from the power of public opinion.

   The United States would assume no obligations under Article X in its present form, or under Article XVI in its present form in the Covenant, or in its amended form as now proposed, unless in any particular case Congress has authorized such action.

   The United States proposes that Articles X and XVI be either dropped altogether or so amended and changed as to eliminate any suggestion of a general agreement to use coercion for obtaining conformity to the pledges of the Covenant.

No Obligations Under Versailles Treaty

3. That the United States will accept no responsibilities under the Treaty of Versailles unless in any particular case Congress has authorized such action.

League Open to All Nations

4. The United States Government proposes that Article I of the Covenant be construed and applied, or, if necessary, redrafted, so that admission to the League shall be assured to any self-governing State that wishes to join and that receives the favorable vote of two-thirds of the Assembly.

Development of International Law

5. As a condition of its participation in the work and councils of the League, the United States asks that the Assembly and Council consent—or obtain authority—to begin collaboration for the revision and development of international law, employing for this purpose the aid of a commission of jurists. This Commission would be directed to formulate anew existing rules of the law of nations, to reconcile divergent opinions, to consider points hitherto inadequately provided for but vital to the maintenance of international justice, and in general to define the social rights and duties of States. The recommendations of the Commission would be presented from time to time, in proper form for consideration, to the Assembly as to a recommending if not a law-making body.

Author's Name Not to Be Revealed Until After Referendum

In order that the vote may be taken solely upon the merits of the plan, the Policy Committee, with the acquiescence of Mr. Bok, has decided not to disclose the authorship of the plan until after the referendum. The identity is unknown to the members of the Jury of Award and the Policy Committee, except one delegated member.

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KENTUCKY HEALTH WORK ECONOMICAL

Lowest Cost Per Capita of Any State In Union—Service Very Satisfactory

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 7.—Comparative statements of the public health work in other states indicate that the work in Kentucky is as adequately done as in any other state, more so than in most of them and at the lowest per capita cost. This sums up the report of Henry E. James, State Inspector and Examiner of his investigation of the State Board of Health covering two years. The report was made public by Mr. James under date of December 28, 1923.

"I can say that on other department of the State shows more efficient management or more economical expenditure of money" he continues. Discussing the work of the Hygenic Laboratory, Mr. James said: "the activities of the laboratory alone, if charged at the lowest ordinary rate for similar services would amount to more than the entire appropriation for the State Board of Health."

Kentucky's campaign against tuberculosis which the inspector characterized as very effective, he found to have been conducted at a cost of one per cent of the cost in some states. Mr. James also found that the bureau of vital statistics was conducted on a lower salary basis than in any other state.

Outstanding among the achievement of the board according to the report, has been the progress in public health work carried on by the public health schools, conferences, clinics and all-time county health departments.

The Inspector and Examiner suggests to the governor, to whom he addresses his report, that the legislature gradually increase its yearly appropriation until every county in the state has an all-time health office.

CHILDREN GIVEN AS BAIL BY FATHER IN FIGHT FOR LIBERTY; ARE ACCEPTED THEORETICALLY

FROM LEFT TO RIGHT:—HIPPOLITE LAPACHET, EMILY AND JOHNNY LAPACHET, TWO OF HIS SIX CHILDREN, AND FEDERAL JUDGE JOHN S. PARTRIDGE, WHO ACCEPTED THEM AS BAIL.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—Hippolite Lapachet here has bartered his six children for freedom.

They constitute a load of living flesh pending the father's trial on a charge of violating the liquor laws.

Thus in modern times has a re-enactment of Shakespeare's famous play "The Merchant of Venice," taken place, with the role of Shylock vested in the government.

Should Lapachet not appear on the date set for hearing the youngsters are forfeit.

Just what would happen to them in such event is a matter grave legal minds are pondering.

Prohibition agents declare they found several stills on Lapachet's ranch.

Children His Sole Wealth

Lapachet denied his guilt, but could proffer nothing of value as bail.

"Money I have not," he told Federal Judge John S. Partridge, "But my bambinos! They are six. Please, Mr. Judge, take them. It is proof that I will not run away!"

For some time the court debated the plea; then accepted it.

The edict, creating legal precedent and history, placed Eugene, 17; Lawrence, 15; Emily, 13; Frances, 11; Blanche, 10, and Johnny Lapachet, 9, in nominal custody of the United States of America.

On a previous occasion Lapachet parted with his children.

That was when juvenile officials took them away following the mother's unfathomed departure four years ago.

They were subsequently returned when Lapachet demonstrated his unquestioned capability of caring for them.

"Since my wife went away I am both father and mother too," Lapachet said.

"My bambinos I love more than anything in the world. For them I would do anything.

"I wash them and dress them when school time comes. I cook for them and keep house, too.

Love Wins Debate

"Why, then, is it, when they mean so much to me, should anyone ask have I no money to get out of jail when I give my bambinos as pledge instead?"

"A man with a record such as this, with children whom he loves, is not likely to run away from the court's jurisdiction," Judge Partridge said in explanation of his unparalleled decision.

"It would be no less than an outrage to keep him in jail when professional criminals gain freedom on bail.

"The children are accepted as theoretical bond.

"In my mind there is no doubt but what this man will be in court on the date appointed for his trial.

"He needs his children and they need him.

"I order him released."

Bell County Health Doctor Gives Report of Work Done

The following is a report of the work done by the Bell County Health Department for the year 1923, as reported by Dr. George Hays, county health officer:

Clinics were held at Pineville and Middlesboro, each three days a week throughout the year. How well these have been attended is attested by the number of visits each month, as follows:

	M.	F.
January	190	133
February	157	76
March	161	128
April	185	147
May	175	123
June	142	185
July	193	225
August	183	168
September	111	106
October	135	178
November	132	118
December	154	143
	1924	1756
		1924
Total		3680

These visits represent indigent patients who come for examination, treatments for syphilis, gonorrhea, hookworm and other forms of intestinal parasites.

Patients under treatment for syphilis and gonorrhea, follow:

Syphilis

	M.	F.
January	41	31
February	43	31
March	39	24
April	48	30
May	28	22
June	29	27
July	31	30
August	30	32
September	29	29
October	25	27
November	25	24
December	28	31

Gonorrhea

	M.	F.
January	5	12
February	5	11
March	4	8
April	4	8
May	4	6
June	4	10
July	3	17
August	3	15
September	3	7
October	6	2
November	10	4
December	8	3

Treatments for syphilis and gonorrhea given, follow:

Syphilis

	M.	F.
January	110	70
February	67	71
March	46	43
April	86	67
May	47	56
June	48	93
July	114	132
August	91	93
September	53	80
October	78	92
November	63	62
December	86	92
Total	863	921

Gonorrhea

	M.	F.
January	1	2
February	6	28
May	6	10
April	6	12
May	6	9
June	10	21
July	15	11
August	5	16
September	5	2
October	10	6
November	10	6
December	8	4
Total	91	151

The ages of these patients range from 4 months to 60 years. Many of the older patients have been suffering from syphilis for some years as shown by the fact that three or four have lost their eyesight and others show a progressive decline in health. Approximately 80 per cent of those suffering from venereal infection are under 30 years of age, and 60 per cent are found to be under 20 years of age.

The medicine used in the treatment of syphilis is furnished free to Bell county by the U. S. Public Health service and the State Board of Health, and amounts to about $1200 a year.

Wasserman Blood Tests

There were 620 tests made during the year.

There were 75 county visits made to the following: Red Bird, Brownie's Creek, Cary, Arjay; Blanche, Straight Creek, Kettle Island, Cohnar, Calvin, Four Mile, Bird's Branch, Ferndale, Stony Fork, Page, and Varilla.

Many of these visits were made to quarantine against smallpox, scarlet fever, measles and diptheria, and to administer diptheria antitoxin to children who had been exposed to diptheria. Visits were also made to the county farm.

Dairies located in Bell county as well as those located in Virginia and Tennessee which supply milk to this county have been inspected from time to time.

Inspection of food establishments in Pineville and Middlesboro have been made frequently. Nuisances have have been abated when found. About 150 visits were made to attend prisoners in the jails at Pineville and Middlesboro.

Nine hundred and eight-four school children of the county have been examined and of this number about 33½ per cent were found to have correctable defects. It is very encouraging to report these defects have been corrected when brought to the attention of the parents. Every possible effort will be made to examine every school child in Bell county during the coming year.

It is to be hoped that the fiscal court at their meeting January 7 will see their way clear to appropriate funds sufficient to continue this work for 1924.

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TAKEN FROM LIFE
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DOINGS OF THE DUFFS— A Bit of Good-Luck —BY ALLMAN

HEY TAXI!
LITTLE DO THE TENANTS OF THIS FLAT REALIZE WHAT A PROSPEROUS BUSINESS MAN RESIDES HERE-
DORIS, I'VE GOT SOME BIG NEWS FOR YOU - I GOT A RAISE IN SALARY!
HONEST, WILBUR? YOU'RE NOT FOOLING ME?
ISN'T THAT FINE, HONEY? TWENTY FIVE DOLLAR RAISE-
I JUST KNEW YOU COULD DO IT WILBUR I JUST KNEW YOU COULD-

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS— Jay's Right —BY BLOSSER

GEE! I'M GLAD YOU CAME OVER T' MY HOUSE, JAY- LETS GO IN TH' OTHER ROOM AN' PLAY WITH MY TOYS.
WHAT'S YER MOM DOIN' IN THERE, TAG ?
SHE'S GONNA MAKE A CAKE AN' SHE'S MELTIN' CHOCOLATE
GEE WIZZ! WHY DON'T SHE PUT IT IN TH' ICE BOX IF SHE WANTS IT MELTED?
SAY! DONTCHA KNOW ANYTHING? IT WON'T MELT IN TH' ICE BOX!
IT WILL SO! TH' ICE MELTS THERE!!

OUT OUR WAY—by Williams

$ALESMAN $AM Absolutely Even —By Swan

I FORGOT MY POCKET BOOK, SO IF I BUY SOMETHING AND LEAVE SOMETHING OF EQUAL VALUE IN PLACE OF IT TILL I RETURN WITH TH' MONEY, CAN I GET WHAT I WANT?
ON THOSE CONDITIONS, YES - WHAT DO YOU WANT?
GUZZLEM AND HOWDY CO.-
I WANT TWO BOXES OF EL-RODO CIGARS
CERTAINLY- HERE Y'ARE, SIR
HEY, COME BACK HERE!!! YOU SAID YOU WOULD LEAVE SOMETHING OF EQUAL VALUE TILL YOU COME BACK WITH TH' MONEY
WELL - DIDN'T I LEAVE ONE OF TH' BOXES OF CIGARS?
CIGARS
GUZZLEM & HOWDY CO-
WAM
SWAN

ADAM AND EVA— Superstition —by Cap Higgins

RICH MAN, POOR MAN, BEGGAR MAN, THIEF! OH EVA, HE'S GOING TO BE A THIEF. HE'S JUST GOT FOUR BUTTONS.
DON'T BE SUPERSTITIOUS ADAM, IT'S SILLY
DA DA
IS UM GOIN' BE NAUGHTY BURGLAR MAN WHEN UM GROWS UP?
ADAM, HOW CAN YOU SAY SUCH THINGS ABOUT BABY?
DA DA
IF HE'S GOING TO BE A THIEF I HOPE HE'LL BE A GOOD ONE LIKE NAPOLEON.
DA DA
NOW WHAT ARE YOU DOING, EVA?
I'M SEWING ON ANOTHER BUTTON!
CAP HIGGINS

OUR BOARDING HOUSE—By Ahern

I DON'T LIKE TO REMIND YOU CLYDE, BUT YOU ARE THREE WEEKS OVERDUE ON YOUR BOARD AND ROOM! I THINK YOU WILL FIND IT A LOT EASIER TO SETTLE AT THE END OF EACH WEEK!
GOT ME IN RED INK, EH? HM— WELL, I'LL GET BACK IN TUNE WITH MY NEXT PAY— YEH — I REMEMBER ONCE WHEN I PAID A MONTH IN ADVANCE FOR MY PILLOW AN' WAFFLES, AN' YOU SAID MY CREDIT WAS STRONGER THAN A NIGHT WATCHMAN'S PIPE, ANYTIME— OR SUMPIN' LIKE THAT!
KEEP YOUR AIM ON THAT ARAB, MRS. HOOPLE- THERE'S A RAIN SPOUT THAT RUNS DOWN PAST HIS WINDOW— HE'LL BE GIVING IT TH' HUG ONE OF THESE NIGHTS, AN' SEND YOU A POST CARD FROM SOUTH AFRICA!-
MRS. HOOPLE TAPS THE GONG ON CLYDE'S BOARD BILL

NOTICE

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the National Bank of Middlesboro will be held at its banking house on Tuesday, January 8, 1924, at 12 o'clock p. m. for the election of directors or any other business that

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Miss Mildred Kerr, W B Kolsto Mr and Mrs William Costello motored to Knoxville Friday evening and returned Saturday

Born, to Mr and Mrs Elmer Johnson a baby son last Friday

Charles I Ragsdale of Corbin was the week end guest of Miss Mildred Wright

Mr and Mrs C W Davidson of Huntington, W Va, are guests at the Bonnieview Inn

Mrs Charles Robert Newton and Mrs Charles Nelson of Corbin are the guests of Mrs W I Hawkins

Miss Bertha Phillips spent the week end visiting in Corbin

Sam Noe sells only high grade coal 186 No one else handles his coal

Mr and Mrs W G Nice of Rogersville are visiting here at the homes of their daughters, Mrs C W Bailey and Mrs Jacob Shuttz They are on their way to Florida to spend the remainder of the winter

Born to Mr and Mrs E F Dees Exeter avenue, Saturday night a baby girl

John McChumord of Huntington W Va was here last night

Mrs Harry Moss was called to Harlan Friday by the illness of her brother's wife, Mrs Ed Stamper, who underwent a serious operation Mrs Stamper is improving her friends here are glad to learn

Mrs Mary Hayes, after two weeks visit with relatives in Middlesboro, Harlan and London returned to her home at Salisbury, Md this morning

I B Harlan of La Grange, Ky, was the week end guest of the family of his cousin H Leech

K. OF P. NOTICE

Owing to Tuesday, January 11 being a holiday the installation of officers and work in the first rank was postponed to Tuesday January 8, at 7 0 p m It is urged there be a full attendance of all members at this meeting.

FOR EXCHANGE

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COOLIDGE NOT HURT BY WORK AS PRESIDENT

(Continued from first page)

him looks quite fit

Prepared for Big Fight

Coolidge never will look like a President Harding did He is naturally built almost square, with the rather rawboned physique typical to the Vermont country folk His skin is of that peculiarly thin coloring texture that often accompanies red hair and freckles but his skin does not run that bold little color and that always has a pallor as of sickness and that freckles only on the face and hands at summer like little cranky lads

The test of Coolidge's physical stamina, of course, will come within the next fourteen months With a Democratic Congress and a pro convention fight for renomination filling the time to June 15 and Republican campaigning and travel to the fall election, the task to end November 4 of Coolidge's first term for him, physically, is the next four years But will be the test

From this strenuous year, Coolidge is no better trained for the physical exactions of the race than the hottest gentlemen of statement frame and of greater girth who will oppose him

These wiry red hands have remarkable stamina qualities and Coolidge has quite decided to stay

WINNING PRIZE FOR BOK PEACE AWARD

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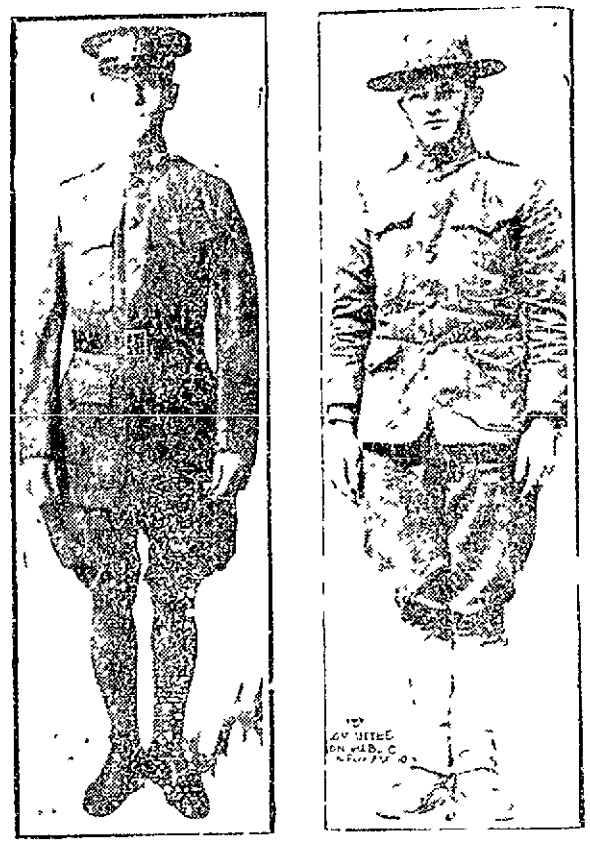
counsel and cooperation among the nations provided in the selected plan may lead to the realization of other and not the least important of the dominant desires of the American public as expressed in the plans

It is the unanimous hope of the jury that the first fruit of the mutual counsel and cooperation among the nations which will result from the adoption of the plan selected will be a general prohibition of the manufacture and sale of all material of war."

The purpose of the American Peace Award is thus fulfilled To refer to a practicable plan the dominating national sentiment is expressed by the free cross section of the American public taking part in the Award

I therefore commend the winning plan as unanimously selected by the jury of award, and Mr Bok's state

Boy, Howdy! What a Change!



Who is the stalwart looking scout we see on the left? Why it is Mr Coolidge in private wear, one of Uncle Sam's new "dollar a year" men It will strike the fancy of the fullest reeches and fact is it will see another find dressed in the regulation uniform that the scout quartermaster sergeants [illegible] during the late war

ROAD CONDITION IN KENTUCKY FOR WEEK JUST PAST IS GIVEN

FRANKFORT, Ky, Jan 7 Road conditions to be factors for the week ending January 7 were announced today by the Department of State Highways as follows

East and West Highways

South and traffic from Cincinnati should cross the river at Newport and then go by way of Alexandria Grant Dick Butler to Covington, Kenton county

Detour of the Cincinnati to be altered by the counsel and cooperation provided in the plan, to the interest and the widest possible sale of the American people

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Louisville and Eastern Detour to market by Shelby Bardstown Bloomfield to Louisville

The Dixie Highway between Lodegardere and Pendleton County line under construction should be open to traffic about the middle of January

The Dixie Highway between Cynthiana and Paris under construction should be open to traffic about the middle of January

Detour via Georgetown, Stamping Ground, Frankfort, Versailles, Midway, Nicholasville, Jessamine county line

Bourbon County Detour Hutchison Road Paris to Clintonville Ruddles Mills Little Rock Ford Millersburg Colville Road Ruddles Mills Little Rock Ford Millersburg Colville Road Ruddles Mills Little Rock Ford Millersburg Colville Road